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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 30th Saturday in 1919 (26th July 1919).

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday: This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1919: This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5		Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
												Seers.	Seers.	Seers.
BANGALORE.														
Bangalore C. & M. Station ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
„ City & Taluk ...	0	50	1	36	12	91	11	94	+ 0	97				
Hoskote ...	0	33	1	14	5	81	9	99	— 4	18				
Dodballapur ...	0	29	0	93	15	52	10	43	+ 5	09	Rice, 2nd sort.	3·50	3·50	6·37
Nelamangala ...	...	...	1	02	13	21	11	02	+ 2	19				
Kankanhalli ...	...	...	0	79	12	05	11	87	+ 0	18	Ragi	6·00	6·00	13·56
Magadi ...	0	13	0	86	19	88	10	43	+ 9	45	Kulthi	7·00	6·50	10·87
Channapatna ...	1	32	0	74	15	35	12	67	+ 2	68	Kadale	3·50	3·50	7·81
Anekal ...	...	...	1	39	12	61	11	67	+ 0	94				
Devanhalli ...	0	59	0	89	13	67	10	92	+ 2	95				
Closepet ...	0	19	0	41	16	78	11	40	+ 5	38				
District average...	0	33	0	95	13	79	11	23	+ 2	56				
KOLAR.														
Kolar ...	0	51	0	77	12	52	11	60	+ 0	92				
Bowringpet ...	1	81	1	08	16	10	10	94	+ 5	16	Rice, 2nd sort.	3·50	3·25	7·72
Chintamani ...	0	37	0	74	9	04	10	19	— 1	15				
Mulbagal ...	0	58	0	69	11	71	9	86	+ 1	85	Ragi	6·00	6·00	17·23
Sidlaghatta ...	2	43	0	98	16	77	11	30	+ 5	47	Kulthi	6·50	6·00	11·75
Chikballapur ...	2	23	1	04	13	24	10	77	+ 2	47	Kadale	3·50	3·50	9·10
Bagepalli ...	3	27	1	61	17	28	9	11	+ 8	17				
Goribidnur ...	0	65	1	42	14	78	11	13	+ 3	65				
Malur ...	0	25	1	07	12	55	9	95	+ 2	60				
Srinivaspur ...	0	88	0	87	11	57	11	45	+ 0	12				
Gudibanda ...	0	83	1	27	11	68	13	34	— 1	66				
District average...	1	25	1	05	13	38	10	90	+ 2	48				
TUMKUR.														
Tumkur ...	1	73	0	92	15	34	10	91	+ 4	43				
Maddagiri ...	0	92	0	74	17	44	11	32	+ 6	12	Rice, 2nd sort	3·75	4·00	8·00
Chiknayakanhalli ...	1	05	0	92	10	23	10	80	— 0	57				
Sira ...	0	90	0	74	9	63	9	03	+ 0	60	Ragi	7·00	7·00	18·80
Gubbi ...	0	50	1	01	18	06	12	72	+ 6	34	Kulthi	7·00	7·00	10·00
Tiptur ...	2	06	1	09	10	90	9	16	+ 1	74	Kadale	3·00	3·50	8·80
Pavagada ...	...	...	0	86	8	88	8	87	+ 0	01				
Kunigal ...	...	...	1	02	12	73	11	47	+ 1	26				
Koratagere ...	1	46	0	49	20	00	10	80	+ 9	20				
Turuvekere ...	0	95	0	86	14	55	11	83	+ 2	72				
District average ...	0	96	0	86	13	78	10	69	+ 3	06				

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1919									
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
MYSORE.												Seers	Seers	Seers
Mysore	...	...	0	66	10	47	13	04	— 2	57	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·00	4·00	6·91
Chamrajnagar	0	65	0	54	9	82	10	30	— 0	48	Ragi	6·50	6·50	14·19
Seringapatam	...	...	0	52	6	93	11	85	— 4	92				
Hunsur	1	88	1	34	11	23	15	94	— 4	71	Kulthi	8·00	7·50	10·04
Yedatore	0	08	0	68	7	20	11	45	— 4	25	Kadale	3·75	3·75	7·31
Heggaddevankote	0	60	2	03	19	09	19	40	— 0	31				
Gundlupet	...	...	0	87	8	07	12	71	— 4	64				
Nanjangud	0	41	0	81	10	18	12	80	— 2	62				
T. Narsipur	0	54	0	60	8	21	10	84	— 2	63				
Malvalli	...	...	0	44	15	58	10	35	+ 5	23				
Mandya	0	48	0	29	8	04	10	71	— 2	67				
Krishnarajpete	...	...	1	02	14	53	13	32	+ 1	21				
Nagamangala	0	50	0	74	10	45	9	62	+ 0	83				
District average...	0	40	0	81	10	76	12	49	— 1	73				
HASSAN.														
Hassan	0	08	1	92	10	92	15	70	— 4	78	Rice, 2nd sort.	3 to 3·50	3·50 to 4·00	7·50
Manjarabad (Sakleepur)	1	35	7	42	43	21	47	55	— 4	34	Ragi	6·50	6·50	16·00
Arkalgud	0	69	1	88	15	05	17	67	— 2	62				
Belur	0	31	3	04	13	36	21	33	— 7	97	Kulthi	8·00	8·00	12·00
Channarayapatna	0	15	1	32	15	45	13	02	+ 2	43				
Arsikere	0	46	1	59	10	24	13	03	— 2	79	Kadale	3·50	3·50	7·00
Hole-Narsipur	0	70	1	33	8	46	13	31	— 4	85				
Alur (Sub)	...	...	2	75	16	72	21	89	— 5	17				
District average...	0	47	2	64	16	68	20	42	— 3	75				
SHIMOGA.														
Shimoga	1	09	2	48	16	20	17	30	— 1	10	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·00	7·48
Channagiri	0	76	1	66	12	88	12	75	+ 0	13	Ragi	6·00	6·50 to 7·00	16·52
Honnali	0	64	0	77	11	02	9	90	+ 1	12				
Shikarpur	1	50	2	76	12	22	17	47	— 5	25	Kulthi	7·00	7 to 7·15	11·50
Sorab	1	58	6	00	20	02	32	93	—12	91				
Sagar	3	37	6	48	31	94	42	53	—10	59				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)	3	70	9	81	35	78	58	67	—22	89				
Tirthahalli	4	91	10	54	57	17	65	24	— 8	07				
Kumsi	2	13	2	86	18	59	21	10	— 2	51				
District average...	2	18	4	81	23	95	30	92	— 6	97				
KADUR.														
Chikmagalur	0	83	2	21	15	66	19	20	— 3	54	Rice, 2nd sort.	3·50 to 5·25	3 to 5·00	7·00
Kadur	1	60	1	63	9	73	10	04	— 0	31	Ragi	7 to 7·50	7 to 7·50	16·00
Tarikere	0	79	3	24	16	21	16	20	+ 0	01				
Koppa	2	27	12	25	37	33	58	97	—21	64	Kulthi	7·00	7·50	12·00
Mudgere	2	84	8	93	40	87	51	26	—10	39				
Narasimharajapura	3	83	8	36	32	52	40	47	— 7	95				
Sringeri	...	...	12	97	59	59	73	17	—13	58	Kadale	3·50 to 4·00	3·25 to 4·00	8·00
District average...	1	74	7	08	30	28	38	47	— 8	19				
CHITALDRUG.														
Chitaldrug	1	34	0	64	11	31	7	93	+ 3	38	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·00	4·25	8·00
Challakere	0	30	0	87	7	99	7	25	+ 0	74	Ragi	7·00	7·00	20·00
Hiriyur	1	77	1	07	14	51	10	27	+ 4	24				
Holalkere	0	78	0	78	12	76	9	57	+ 3	19	Kulthi	6·50	6·50	16·00
Davangere	0	31	0	81	11	97	8	87	+ 3	10				
Molakalmuru	0	18	1	17	5	62	8	00	— 2	38				
Jagalur	0	50	0	56	9	77	7	10	+ 2	67	Cholum	7·00	7·00	16·00
Hosdurga	...	...	0	97	14	42	9	61	+ 4	81	Kadale	3·50	3·50	8·00
Harihar	0	58	0	43	8	00	8	05	— 0	05				
District average...	0	64	0	81	10	70	8	47	+ 2	23				
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
Provincial average...	1	00	2	38	16	66	17	95	— 1	29				

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana.
Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.

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DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
11. Public health.
12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage, of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort) ...	Not received.	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi		
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...		

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Moderately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Wet lands under tanks are being ploughed in parts of Dodballapur and Nelamangala Taluks. Harrowing is going on in almost all the taluks.

Seeds sown.—Sowing of Kartika paddy in parts of Dodballapur, Nelamanagala, Magadi and Anekal is going on. Ragi and other subsidiary crops, *viz.*, avare and togari are still being sown in parts of Bangalore, Magadi, Anekal, Kankanhalli and Closepet Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, ragi, avare, punaji paddy, cholam, til (yellu, haraka) groundnuts and mulbery are generally in good condition in all the taluks.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Nataragi in parts of Hoskote Taluk.

Estimated outturn.—8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are generally encouraging, except for high prices. More rain is wanted in the Hoskote Taluk, and in parts of Anekal Taluk, the tanks require more water for wet crops. Food stuffs are available and cooly classes find labour.

11. Except for 1 or 2 cases of cholera in the town of Dodballapur, plague in the towns of Kankanhalli and Vadigenhalli and in the village of Koramangala in the Bangalore Taluk and a few villages in the Anekal Taluk, public health is generally good. Small-pox still exists in parts of Bangalore, Magadi, Channapatna, Anekal and Nelamangala Taluks and also in the Colsepet Sub-Taluk.

12. Except for Dodroga in parts of Closepet Sub-Taluk and Nelamangala Taluk, cattle are generally healthy all over the district. Water and fodder are available. Green grass is coming up.

KOLAR.

8. Fairly supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Ragi, avare and togari in all the taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk. Karthika paddy in all the taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, except the taluks of Bagepalli, Goribinur and Malur. Groundnut in parts of the Mulbagal Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Gid ragi in parts of the Mulbagal Taluk; *Vaisakhi paddy* in parts of the Goribidnur Taluk, yield 10 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Fair.

Agricultural operations.—Sowing dry crops and paddy is in progress.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Prices of food grains sationary. Labour available.

11. Public health generally good, except for cholera in parts of the Bowringpet, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur and Goribidnur Taluks and small-pox in parts of the Mulbagal Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Rinderpest in parts of the Kolar and Sidlaghatta Taluks. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Sira, Tiptur and Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere and Turvekere Sub-Taluks; ragi, avare, togari hutchellu, jola, groundnuts, haraka, navane in all the taluks and sub-taluks of the district. Horsegram in parts of Maddagiri Taluk and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; cotton in parts of Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Pavagada Taluks